

THE BOMBARDMENT OF ISLAND NO. 10.

The Famous Island No. 10--Its Batteries and the Surrounding Rebel Fortifications and Gunboats--The Union Gunboats, Mortar Boats and Transports.



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The Bombardment of Island No. 10.
OPERATIONS UP TO THE 23RD INST.--THE WORK GOING ON VIGOROUSLY--A REBEL BATTERY DESTROYED.
 General Grant, from his headquarters at New Madrid, Mo., reports that the operations against Island No. 10 have been successful. The Union gunboats, mortar boats, and transports have been engaged in a bombardment of the island since the 19th inst. The rebels have been driven from the island, and the Union forces have taken possession of it. The rebels have been driven from the island, and the Union forces have taken possession of it. The rebels have been driven from the island, and the Union forces have taken possession of it.

Disasters at Sea.
 The ship Ocean Monarch, of New York, arrived at New Orleans, La., on the 23rd inst. The ship was captured by the rebels, and the crew was taken prisoner. The ship was captured by the rebels, and the crew was taken prisoner. The ship was captured by the rebels, and the crew was taken prisoner.

City Intelligence.
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News from Fortress Monroe.
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arrived here. She reports falling in with the Vermont on the morning of the 7th in latitude 38 23, longitude 68 30. On the 8th she experienced a heavy gale and could do nothing for the crippled frigate. On the 9th, while attempting to assist the Vermont, she lost her foretopmast, pipe and mainmast. The next night she lost her foretopmast, and left the Vermont on the 10th inst. after the Saxon fell in with her. During the interval he rendered her every assistance in his power, towing her part of the time, the captain being untiring in his exertions to assist the Vermont during nine days who remained alongside.

One of the crew of the Vermont was lost overboard when she lost her rudder on the 24th inst. Two others died from exposure, and several were frostbitten. The officers were all well.

On the 14th she fell in with the schooner Oliver H. Booth, of Poughkeepsie, in distress, bound for New York from Georgetown, D. C., having run the rebel blockade of the Potomac and receiving several shots. She was supplied with crew, sails and provisions from the Vermont. She had on board sixteen of the crew of the ship Ocean Monarch, having saved twenty-two from the wreck, six being transferred to another vessel.

Roseton, March 23, 1862.

The steamer Saxon has arrived from a cruise after the Vermont. She reports on the 10th, at 10 A. M., in latitude 38 deg. 50 min., longitude 65 deg. 45 min., saw the Vermont in tow of the United States gunboat Arcotek, from Boston. The Arcotek had been in company with her for seven days, and had lost masts, rigging, &c. At 5 P. M. she stood for Philadelphia to repair.

There was an unknown schooner in company with the Vermont, which had on board two boats' crews of the ship Ocean Monarch, Capt. Page, from New York for Liverpool, founded in a gale on the 7th. Capt. Page and two small boats are still adrift.

On coming up with the Vermont the Saxon supplied her with sails, a rudder and two ship carpenters. The rudder was lost in hanging it. The Saxon took a hawser from the ship and commenced towing, but at half-past six P. M. the hawser parted, and a heavy southwest gale came on, but sight of her. He saw her again on the 17th, but the sea being too heavy could not get within hail. On the 18th he succeeded in the evening in getting on board, informing them that we had only four days' coal and would return for assistance. They parted company at four P. M., latitude 38 57, longitude 63 24.

IMPORTANT FROM WINCHESTER, VA.

Battle Between Gen. Shields' Division and the Rebel Army.

Complete Victory of the Union Forces Over the Rebels Under Generals Jackson, Smith and Longstreet.

HEAVY LOSS ON BOTH SIDES.

GEN. SHIELDS SLIGHTLY WOUNDED,
 &c., &c., &c.

Washington, March 23, 1862.

Telegraphic dispatches received here from Winchester, dated last night at half past ten say:--

A slight skirmish occurred this afternoon about a mile and a half from Winchester, on the Strasburg road, between a portion of General Shields' troops and the rebels cavalry with four pieces of artillery.

The enemy retreated with loss as soon as our gun opened fire. One man was killed on our side, and General Shields suffered a slight injury in the left arm, above the elbow, from a fragment of a shell, which burst near him.

A prisoner brought in to night says, the enemy were under the impression our troops had left Winchester, and General Jackson's forces were on the road from Strasburg under the same impression.

ADDITIONAL PARTICULARS OF THE BATTLE.
 Winchester, Va., March 23--3 P. M.

I have just come in from the very front of the battle-field, three miles out. We have achieved a complete victory over General Jackson, taken two guns and caissons, killed at least one hundred and wounded twice as many. Our loss is large, but probably not over one hundred and fifty killed and wounded. Our men did well, and took a great many prisoners.

The enemy is in full retreat.

Winchester, March 23--10 P. M.

We have this day achieved a glorious victory over the combined forces of Generals Jackson, Smith and Longstreet. The battle was fought within four miles of this place. It raged from half-past five o'clock this morning until dark. The enemy's strength was about 15,000. The strength of our division was not over 5,000.

Our loss in killed and wounded is not ascertained, but is heavy. The enemy's loss is double that of ours. We have captured a large number of prisoners, some of their guns, and the ground is strewn with the arms they have thrown away in their flight. The cavalry is still in pursuit of the retreating rebels.

The particulars cannot be accurately ascertained until daylight.

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